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Divine Connections!

“JC, how do you get new contacts to continue expanding your ministry reach?” someone recently asked me.

“God connections - that’s often how it works for us,” I replied. And I proceeded to tell her about a contact that I had during my latest visit to Ghana. A Ghanaian businessman, currently living in the UK, was staying in the same guest house as I. He is a Christian and very friendly. In the course of conversation I mentioned that one of our goals this year is to launch AABS into 2 more West African countries - Senegal and The Gambia.

“Oh,” he said, “my wife is from The Gambia.” I responded that we’ve been looking for a contact person there to help Rev. James, our West Africa Director, with preparations for his launch trip.



Guest house where this conversation took place



Our West Africa Region Director conducting a launch at another West African country

“I know the perfect person to help you - my wife’s sister,” he replied. “She knows so many church leaders in The Gambia and Senegal. She’s really into advancing the kingdom. Why don’t I put Rev. James in connection with her, he can share the launch plans, and she’ll give you a lot of contacts so that meetings can be set up with church leaders.”

The next day he visited our AABS office, met Rev. James, and gave his sister-in-law’s phone numbers. “I’ve already texted and told her about you, Rev. James, and she is very happy to connect you with pastors and church leaders. She’s just waiting for you to call her.”

In the next few days Rev. James conversed back and forth with this lady and she is connecting him with many leaders. Rev. James was delighted! “If you want something done, she’ll get it done!” he said.

There are numerous stories I could tell of how God connected us with persons who contributed significantly to the spread of AABS. Will you join us in giving thanks to God for His provision of all that we need, including contacts such as these? And will you also ask God about your part in this work?

We thank God for all of you who support this ministry. May He reward you! Contributions may be sent to PO Box 556, New Holland, PA 17557, or given online through our website, www.friendsofaabs.com. Thank you!

All for Jesus,

JC Ebersole, Executive Director

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